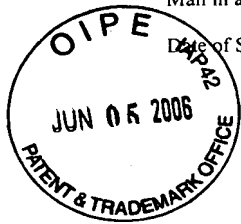


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The Applicants request information as to the status of the above-identified application. The case was filed January 16, 2004, and no first action has been received.

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